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2. In accordance with instructions from the Acting DCI, I celled Mr. Bookwalter, Chief Clerk of the Senate Rules Committee, concurning his letter of 26 March 1954 to the DCI requesting Agency comment on S. Con. Res. 69. I informed Mr. Bookwalter that the DCI was out of town for a few days and that we would therefore like to hold up our reply to his letter until after the DCI had returned and could consider the matter. Mr. Bookwalter agreed with this procedure and pointed out that the Committee does not want to go into the rescintion too fast or without Mr. Dulles' views in the matter.